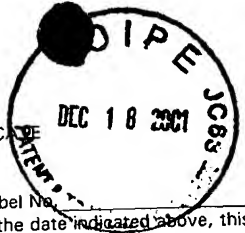


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Inventor/s (name ALL inventors): Jorge Mazza

Title: NEW ANIONIC COLORING AGENTS TO DYE LEATHER, PAPER, CARD-  
BOARD AND TEXTILE SUBSTRATES: MIXTURES OF COLORING AGENTS  
INCLUDING THESE NEW PRODUCTS, AND SUBSTRATES DYED USING THE  
ABOVE COLORING AGENTS

including the items indicated:

1. Specification and 20 claims: 1 indep.; 19 dep.; \_ multiple dep.;  
including 22 page(s) of written description; 5 page(s) of claims;  
0 page(s) of abstract.
2. ☐ Drawings, \_ sheets (Figs. )
3. ☒ Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney  
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4. ☐ Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. §1.76.

5. ☐ Assignment for recording to:

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Assignee:

6. ☒ The applicant claims small entity status.

7. ☒ Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(b) of:

Country: Argentina  
Number: P 00 01 06734  
Date: December 18, 2000

A certified copy of the prior document ☒ is enclosed ☐ will follow  
☐ was filed in a previous application.

8. ☐ Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of:

Number:  
Date:

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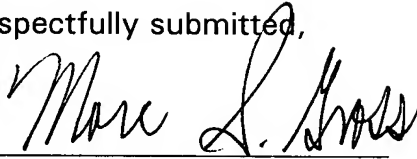
11. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

|   | No. of Claims Presented | Extra Claims Previously<br>Paid For | Number of<br>Extra Claims | Rate     |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Basic Fee .....   |                         |                                     |                           | \$740.00 |
| Total Claims  | 20 - 20                 | - 0 = 0                             | x \$18.00                 | \$0.00   |
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